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The bookstore — a favorite place to be at the beginning of the semester! (above)

Men . . . we always seem to be wishing for more! (right)

The IMC can not only be a great place to work, but also a useful place for finishing an important paper.

Spotted having a festive time at the Chalon Christmas party are Barbara Garcia and Zaydie Feria!

Student Fun!

Senior Jennifer Marano shown supporting the DMAC sponsored play "Ghost Stories".

Junior Raquel Capacete ... modeling the lastest MSMC fashions!

The Halloween party at the Doheny campus proved to be a fun night for all.

Over 100 children and parents joined the activities at Doheny on Halloween night.

The Christmas door decorating contest brought many interesting entries!

On a warm day, the Brady patio is a great place to relax and study.

Mealtime — a time to share with good friends and . . . good gossip!

Seniors Jessie Chu and Deann Griego preparing to string popcorn for the Christmas tree.

The Accounting Association barbeque at Doheny was a fun start for the new school year.

Dinnertime can sometimes be a puzzling experience.

Fun times with friends are the best part of the holiday season.

Members of second floor Brady say, "We have ornaments and you don't!"

Colette's "got the right one baby . . . uh huh"!

You can tell Cindy loves having her picture taken!

The Campus Center is a great place for commuters to take a study break.

Tyrena says "Time to hit the books!"

A great time was had by all at the "Let's Get Busy" Dance.

Look who's wearing the new pajama fashion at Doheny!

Marta says to Elvia, "say aaah!"

Kids of all ages attended the Halloween dance at Doheny Campus.

Jeanne thinks that just because she is Senior RA, she can demand the salt when she wants it!

"Wait a minute while I go get a delicious Doheny dessert!"

Now that they've just left the bookstore, Monique finally remembers what she needed to buy!

Racine imitates Fonzi on "Happy Days" saying, "AAEE".

"Yeah, we're hip!" exclaim Maria and Glenda.

'Are you done taking the picture yet?"

It's a thrill to work at the residence desk!

"Gotta get this psych homework done by 12:00", prays Laurie.

I SHALL
NOT BE
MOVED

"PUTTIN' ON THE RITZ" WINTER BALL

February 15, 1991 At Doheny Mansion

To show their appreciation for her help in ASB, all the girls pose in one big group picture in the elegant Doheny mansion with Maria Lyons.

Josie Salazar (sophomore) shown with her boyfriend, David Romero.

Having her picture taken as many times as possible — Maria is shown here with the "fun crowd"!

Our welcoming hostesses, Blanca Espindola and LaTasha Levrette, were a big help at the dance.

"Give me a break" replies Romaine Thomas when begged to dance. (Below) Doheny ASB President, Sophia Paiz (left); Vice-President Patty Rivera (right); and ASB Director Maria Lyons (middle). (Left)

For our entertainment, Nancy Buenrosto and her partner danced the night away! (Left)

SPORTS

CROSS COUNTRY

The Cross Country team started their season with a training camp on the lofty heights of Mammoth Mountain. The squad then opened their season with a race against Loyola Marymount. Bethany Markee led the race and went on to win and set a new school record with the time of 19:27.

-Becky Schwartz

VOLLEYBALL

The Volleyball team was one of guts and determination. The squad was small, with seven members, and a new coach. Tournament play proved to be the best measure of the team's actual abilities. The scores were close and competition was fierce. At the Whittier Tournament it was Jenny Kurihara's time to shine; her hustle and winning effort earned her a spot on the All Tournament Team. Lisa Martin had five service aces in the Occidental Tournament and also earned and All Tournament spot. The team then competed in the Cal Tech Tournament and placed third. Coach Vicki Verkouteren is hopeful that recruiting efforts will build up the squad for next year.

-Becki Schwartz

TENNIS

The Athenian Tennis team had its work cut out for them. Again under the direction of Coach Scott Smith, the season had the team facing some of the best players in the nation. The hours of practice paid off in much deserved wins against Whittier.

-Becki Schwartz

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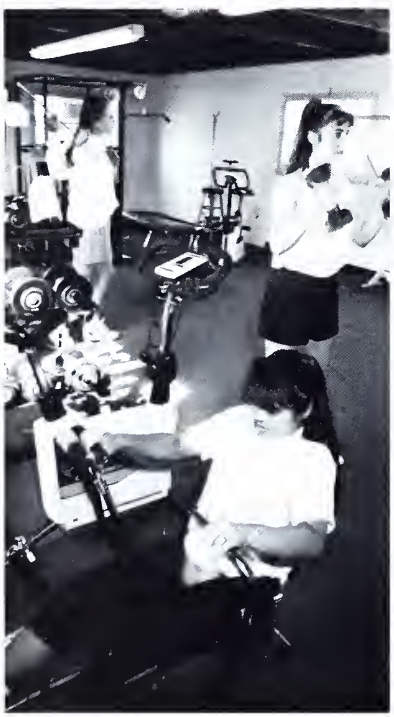

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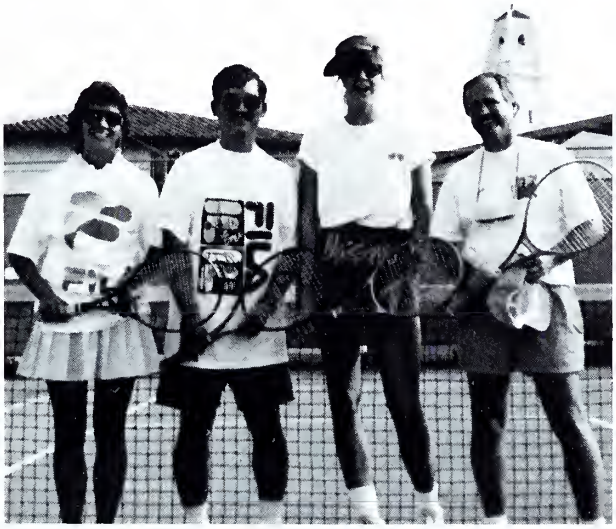

ATHENIAN DAY A SUCCESS

The first annual Athenian Day was held on Saturday, March 16th with six teams showing up to join the festivities and enjoy the beautiful day. The teams were made up of faculty, students and staff members. Teams chose their own colors and names and decorated themselves to match. The team names and colors represented their members and their talents.

Events kicked off at 9:30 am at the Athletic Department Facilities. The events included volleyball games, a basketball obstacle course, tennis targets, raft races and a relay. To quench their thirst, each team member received a souvenir water bottle.

MARCH 16, 1991

Midway in the afternoon, a pool luncheon was served for participants and fans. But the fun wasn't over yet. The closing ceremony involved a dip in the pool to retrieve floating sponges that equated to gags and prizes. The winning team was "The Flower Children, consisting of: Tony Baker, Stephanie Cubba, Mia Lathropo, Claudia Mallchok, Ramona Price, Mari Wadsworth and Kari Wolfe. The winning team was awarded a private dinner party at the Hamburger Hamlet in Brentwood. All in all, everyone went home winners for having made this new tradition such a success.

-Becki Schwartz

"ANYTHING GOES"

Spring Sing 1991

Gathered for a picture are the cast and crew of Spring Sing 1991.

Trudi Morgan performed in cultural dress wit fellow Polynesian students.

Senior Dana Cornelius was a big hit with, "Suite California". (Right) Darrin Wright, playing Bach: Sonata NO. 4 in C major, was accompanied on the piano by Janite Lee. (Above)

ica Jager gave a refreshing history of the American Revolution in Kicking Some British Butt!"

Evie was all smiles during the show!

Andrenaline was pumped by a well-performed dance by the Chalon jazz class. (Above) The ethnic dancers portrayed the vast diversity at the Mount. (Left)

A "Journey through Polynesia" was accompanied by a cultural education from Mary K Foo Sum and Jeanette Traub.

Could this be the next Whitney Houston?

The audience was mesmerized by the beauty and grace of the Polynesian dancer such as Freshman Geri Vergara.

Laurel Mentzer proved her singing ability as well as her piano-playing ability! (Above) One of many singers, Senior Jennifer Marano awed the audience with her voice. (Right)

Sophomore Danielle Clemens, from American Samoa, displayed her culture through her dancing skills.

Even Producer Allison Turner got into the act!

Senior Daniella Ruiz sang her heart out for the Kappa Delta Chi skit.

Paolina Schiro and Judi Hemenway showed that "behind the scenes" work can be fun, too! (Above) Did Michelle Huddleston wake up late, or is that the costume for her skit? (Left)

ORGANIZATIONS

ASB CHALON

Maria Avila, Charina Icamen, Marta Blum, Dana Cornelius, Rachel Mino, Chewrip Kim, Jocelyn Atienza, Glenda Pangelinan, Deann Griego, Tina Fisher, Karen Villanueva, Sandra Deas, Jessie Chu, Mia Lathrop (Advisor), Amy Foreman, Heidi Hurskainen.

The members of the Associated Student Body (ASB) Board are devoted students who help encourage other students to express their views of institutional policy, to participate in the making of decisions which affect the Mount community, and to promote matters of general interest to the student body.

ASB DOHENY

FRONT ROW: Sophia Diaz, Maria Lyons, Patricia Rivera. BACK ROW: Maura Gonzales, Cynthia Zizo, Corrine Mendez, Romaine Thomas, Andrea Espinoza, Blanca Espindola, Rocio Lizalde, Johdean Damasco, Melita.

Behind every school activity, there lies the work of an Associated Student Body officer and Student Board members. Countless hours of interaction, brainstorming and organizing school events is what ASB is all about. Maria Lyons is the guiding force behind the leadership on the Doheny campus.

PI CHI EPSILON

Pi Chi Epsilon, the Early Childhood Education sorority at Doheny Campus, is dedicated to uniting all students who are interested in the growth and development of the young child. The purpose of the organization is to provide the members opportunities and experience in the Early Childhood Education field. The majority of the sorority's time and effort is spent to benefit the state-funded Child Development Center on campus.

Officers: Sr. Imelda D'Agostino, Advisor; Josie Salazar, President; Laura Magana, Vice-President; Cathy Nguyen, Secretary; Elvia Lopez, Treasurer.

PT ASSISTANT CLUB

Organized in October 1990, the Physical Therapy Assistant Club is continually growing and expanding its educational outlook. Members discuss current physical therapy topics and job opportunities. Some activities this year were: bake sales, a visit to the Norwalk Medical Treatment Unit, and pizza parties.

FRONT ROW: Kimberly Farrow, Adriana Quintero, Elizabeth Wikman, Bethany Markee, Andrea Espinoza, Kenda Kopietz. BACK ROW: Johdean Damasco, Lynn Jones(Director), Vivian Christopherson, Julie LaFirenza, Griselda Delacruz, Belen Villagrana, Gina Ursell.

ACCOUNTING ASSOCIATION

The objective of the Accounting Association is to keep members informed on current issues or job opportunities; and to inform the members by hosting speakers in the different career fields of accounting.

Officers: Claudia Alvarez, Director; Claudia Guerrero, Assistant Director; Portia Pablo, Assistant Director; Yolanda Collins, Corresponding Secretary.

DRAMATIC & MUSIC ARTS CLUB

Michelle Huddleston, Heidi Hurskainen and Rachel Mino, who starred in *Ghost Stories*. Directed by Elle Helmick and produced by Wendy Nobles.

Founded in Spring 1990, the Dramatic & Music Arts Club is the only year-round theater related organization on campus. It has since completed the successful production of the play, *Ghost Stories,* on November 30, 1990.

Officers: Wendy Nobles, President; Elle Helmick, Vice-President; Marisa Colon, Secretary, Tina Esack, Treasurer.

KAPPA DELTA CHI

Founded in 1929, Kappa Delta Chi is currently the only social sorority on campus. Rush activities are held each fall to recruit new members who then undergo a pledging period. The culmination of pledging is the lavish Presents ball held at a local hotel.

Officers: Danielle Fischer, President; Daniella Ruiz, Vice-President; Christina Yazgulian, Secretary; Lani Almero, Treasurer.

RESIDENCE HALL ASSOCIATION

The Residence Hall Association (RHA) is the resident student government designed to provide leadership opportunities for students.

Officers: Jennifer Marano, President; Jacqui DeMarco, Vice-President; Tina Lomas, Treasurer; Mary Zalenski, Secretary; Ramona Lapid, Program Coordinator; Alex Sosa-Amoeda, Advisor.

FRONT ROW: Judi Hemenway, Melinda Nagal, Jen Klosterman, Elle Helmick, Deidre George, Erica Jager. BACK ROW: Amy Foreman, Tina Esack, Ramona Lapid, Tina Loma, Jen Marano, Jacqui DeMarco, Mary Zalenski.

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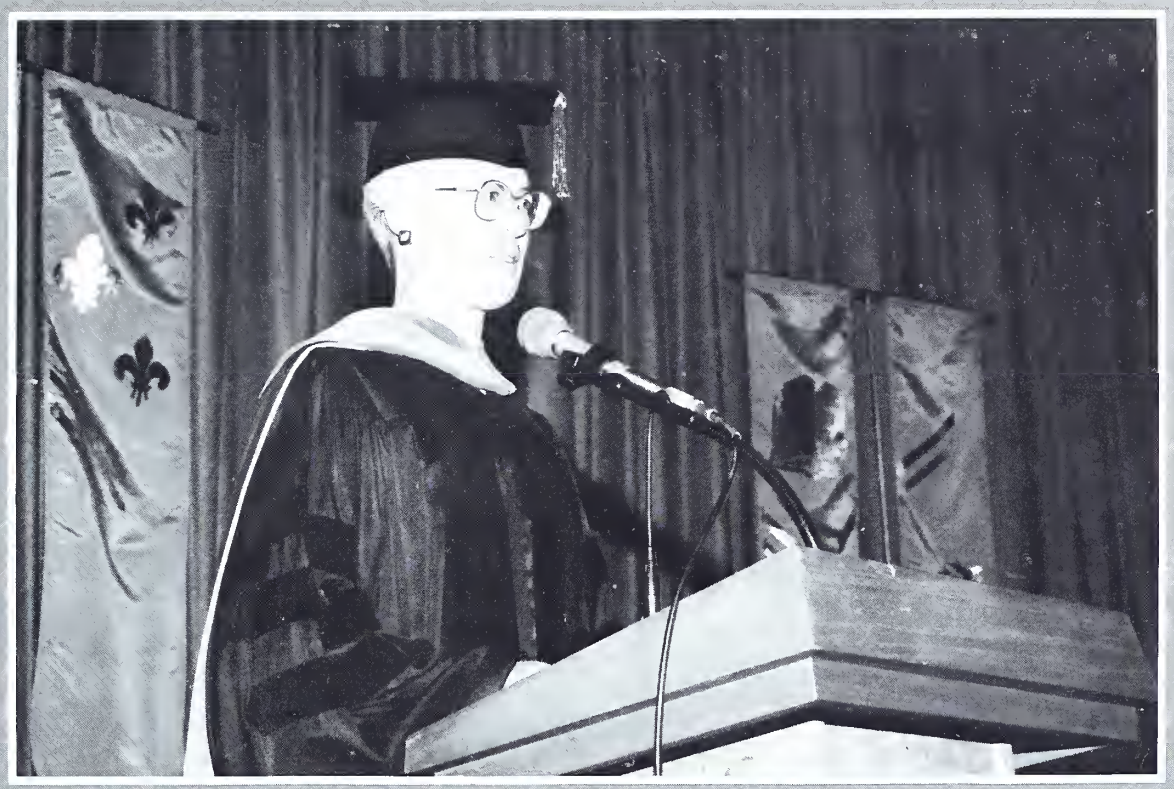

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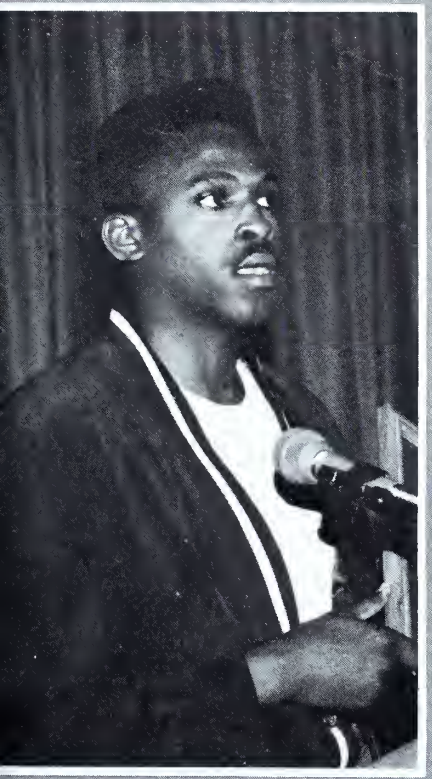

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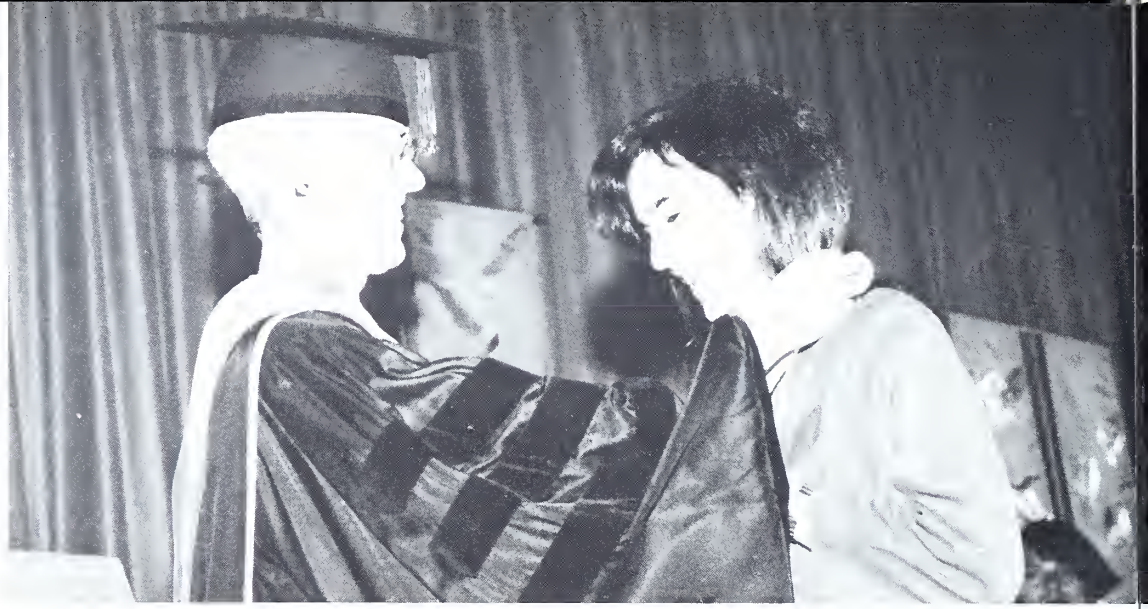

LAUREL DAY 1991

Class of Nineteen Hundred and Ninety-One

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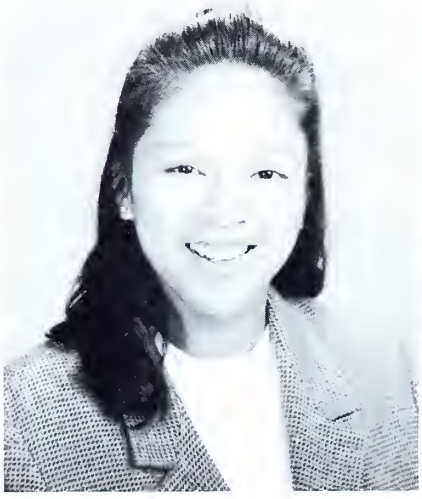

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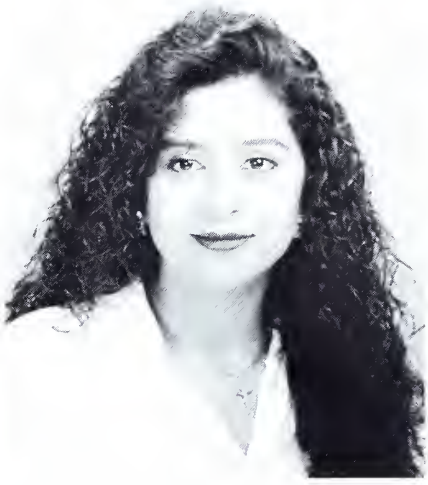

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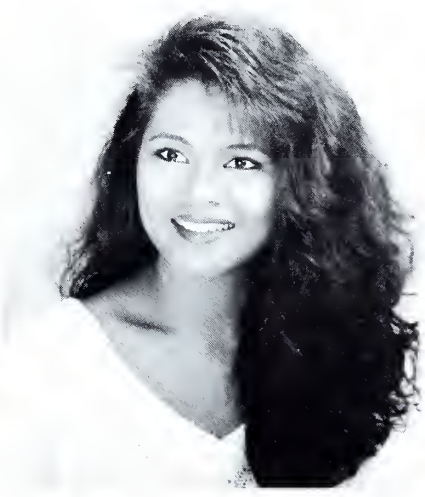

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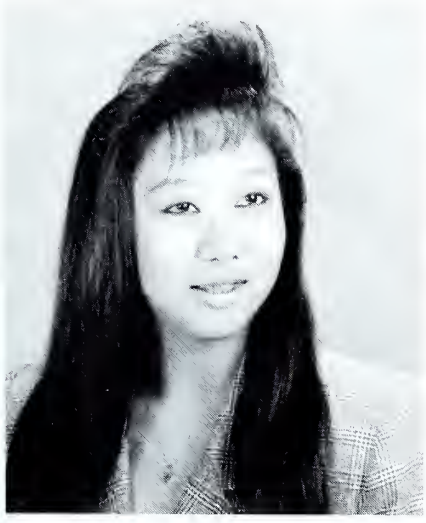

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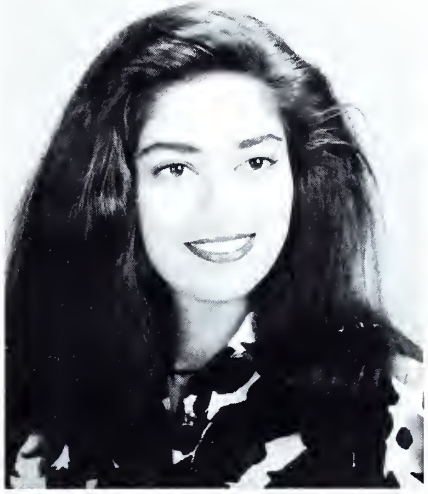

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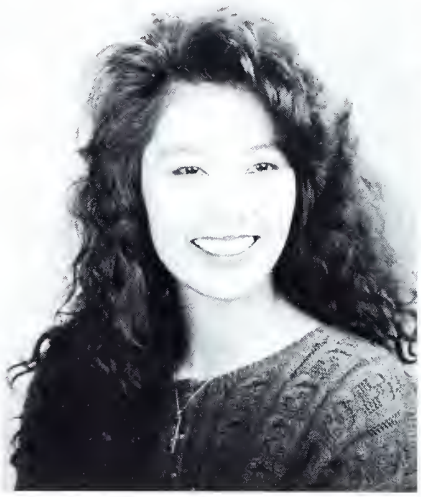

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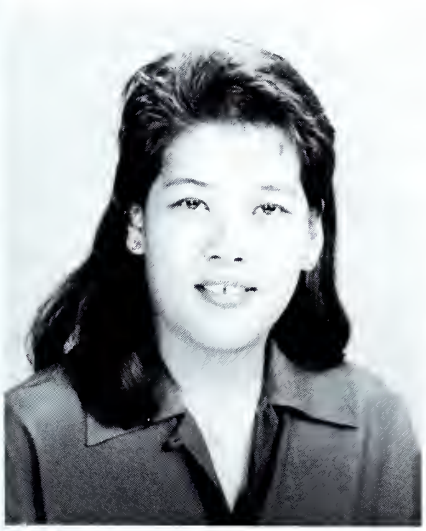

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